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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))**

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2007 be extended for a period of three months from September 15, 2007 to December 15, 2007. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$1,050.

Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$1,050, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701.

Respectfully submitted,

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